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The reply filed on May 21, 2002 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant states that nothing contained in Applicant's description should be construed as an admission of Prior Art. This appears to be contrary to the original disclosure. For example, Applicant appears to use a known scan camera, e.g. the "PIRANHA"®. Was this scan camera known to Applicant at the time of the invention. Applicant needs to clarify what was known to Applicant at the time of the invention, e.g. what is prior art. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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